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In re Patent Application of:
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For: NONAQUEOUS GEL COMPOSITION FOR
TOOTH WHITENING AND TOOTH
WHITENING SET

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 11, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10.